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- (a) (1) The Board consists of the following ten members:
  - (i) as an ex officio member, the Commissioner; and
- (ii) nine members appointed by the Governor with the advice of the Secretary and with the advice and consent of the Senate.
  - (2) Of the nine appointed members of the Board:
- (i) one shall represent a major elevator manufacturing company or its authorized representative;
  - (ii) one shall represent an elevator servicing company;
  - (iii) one shall represent the architectural design profession;
  - (iv) one shall represent a municipal corporation in the State;
  - (v) one shall represent a building owner or manager;
- (vi) one shall represent labor involved in the installation, maintenance, and repair of elevators;
- (vii) one shall represent the elevator interior renovation industry; and
  - (viii) two shall be members of the public.
  - (b) (1) The term of an appointed member is 3 years.
- (2) At the end of a term, a member continues to serve until a successor is appointed and qualifies.
- (3) A member who is appointed after a term has begun serves only for the rest of the term and until a successor is appointed and qualifies.
- (c) (1) Except as provided in paragraph (2) of this subsection and subject to paragraph (3) of this subsection, a member shall be considered to have resigned

who has been appointed to the Board by the Governor if the member did not attend at least two-thirds of the Board meetings held during any consecutive 12-month period while the member was serving on the Board.

- (2) The Governor may waive a member's resignation and allow the member to continue serving if the member has been unable to attend meetings for reasons satisfactory to the Governor and the reasons are made public.
- (3) In accordance with § 8–501 of the State Government Article, the chairman shall provide notice to the Governor and the Governor shall appoint a successor.

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